

DUNCANSON-CRANCH  
Neighborhood House  
468-470 N. St. S.W.  
Washington, D.C.

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Historic American Buildings Survey  
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ADDENDUM  
FOLLOWS...

Addendum to  
Duncanson-Cranch House (Barney Neighborhood House)  
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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE District of Columbia	COUNTY	TOWN OR VICINITY Washington
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Duncanson- Cranch House		HABS NO. DC-128
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE Barney Neighborhood House		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 468-470 N Street, SW		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) ca. 1794-1795	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) attributed to William Levering, architect for the Greenleaf Syndicate	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Interesting example of the Federal Style. From 1904 to 1960 was the headquarters for Barney Neighborhood House.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Federal		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Brick, with stone trim		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Double house designed to appear as a single unit; 44' facade (6-bays); 3-stories; raised basement; gable roof		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE 2nd-story windows set in stuccoed blind arches; splayed stone lintels; paired modillion cornice; belt course below second floor; entrances on sides; west side entrance has semi- circular fanlight and is flanked by semicircular arched windows in sunken arches		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED)		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES Rehabilitated 1964-1966 as part of Harbour Square urban renewal development.		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Condition in 1974 good.		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Schwartz, Nancy B. <u>Historic American Buildings Survey District of Columbia Catalog, 1974.</u> Listed on National Register of Historic Places. Category II District of Columbia Landmark.		
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